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For: TRAVEL VALUE INDEX

### RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

#### INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 8, 2005, reconsideration of the rejection is respectfully requested in view of the enclosed remarks. This Response is filed within the two-month Advisory Action deadline because May 8, 2005, is a Sunday and therefore the deadline falls to the following Monday, May 9, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

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